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Per our discussion earlier today, it is the view of charitable contributions are to be taken into account by partners as if they themselves made the contributions. found nothing in the legislative history of section 170(e)(3) that indicates it would not apply to C corporation partners of a partnership, and thus concurs with the views of Therefore, a C corporation that is a partner in a partnership can take the enhanced deduction (if the charitable contribution is otherwise a qualified contribution as provided in section 170(e)(3)) for a charitable contribution made by the partnership as, under Subchapter K, C corporation is treated as though C corporation actually made its distributive share of the contribution.

Please feel free to contact questions.

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